

Application Data Sheet

Application Information

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| Application Type:: | Utility |
| Subject Matter:: | Utility |
| CD_ROM or CD-R?:: | None |
| Number of CD disk:: | 0 |
| Number of copies of CDs:: | 0 |
| Computer Readable Form (CRF)?:: | No |
| Number of copies of CRF:: | 0 |
| Title:: | INFORMATION PROCESSING APPARATUS AND METHOD, AND PROGRAM |
| Attorney Docket Number:: | 00862.022558. |
| Total Drawing Sheets:: | 18 |
| Small Entity?:: | No |
| Secrecy Order in Parent Appl.?:: | No |

Applicant Information

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| Primary Citizenship Country:: | Japan |
| Status:: | Full Capacity |
| Given Name:: | KEIICHI |
| Family Name:: | SAKAI |
| City of Residence:: | Kanagawa |
| Country of Residence:: | Japan |
| Primary Citizenship Country:: | Japan |
| Status:: | Full Capacity |
| Given Name:: | TETSUO |
| Family Name:: | KOSAKA |

City of Residence:: Yamagata

Country of Residence:: Japan

Correspondence Information

Correspondence Customer Number:: 5514

Representative Information

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| Representative Customer Number:: | 05514 |
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Domestic Priority Information

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| Application:: | Continuity Type:: | Parent Application:: | Parent Filing Date:: |
| This Application | Continuation of | PCT/JP02/02584 | 03/19/2002 |

Foreign Priority Information

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| Country:: | Application Number:: | Filing Date:: | Priority Claimed:: |
| Japan | 2001-083038 | 03/22/2001 | Yes |
| Japan | 2001-386192 | 12/19/2001 | Yes |

Assignee Information

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